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Applicant: Roger P. Hoffman

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS TO CONTROL
THE OPERATING OF A
MANUFACTURING FACILITY

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.